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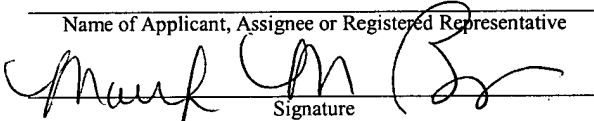
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SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT WITH REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This is in further response to the Office Action mailed on January 5, 2004, setting a three-month period for reply.

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a), a two-month extension of the period for reply, up to and including June 5, 2004, is requested. A check for \$420.00 is enclosed in payment of the fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional required fee for this extension of time or any other fee occasioned by this paper, or credit any overpayment in such fees, to Deposit Account No. 50-0320.

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